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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

IN RE: APPLICATION OF: **Santiago Acosta**

SERIAL NO. 10/686,827

FILED: 10/20/2003

DOCKET NO. SA-pat1.app

EXAMINER: Mendiratta, Vishu K

GROUP ART UNIT: 3712

FOR: **SPACE BATTLE BOARD GAME**

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.111**

Honorable Commissioner of Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated September 3, 2004, please amend the above identified patent application as follows:

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME WITHIN SECOND MONTH**

The three month statutory period expired on December 3, 2004, this response is being mailed within two months of the statutory period along with the late fee of \$225.00. Applicant request extension of time for this response.

**IN THE CLAIMS**

Please cancel all the claims 1-13, and replace with claims 1-8 which are submitted herewith and attached hereto as exhibit "A". The submitted claims comply with the Examiner's suggestion of "Allowable Subject Matter" for the original claims 4-11 and include limitations of the base claims and any intervening claims.

Applicant respectfully request allowance of the claims and application as soon as practical.

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I hereby certify this office action response with attached claims 1-8, are being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage for first class mail in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner of Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA. 22313-1450 on February 01, 2005.

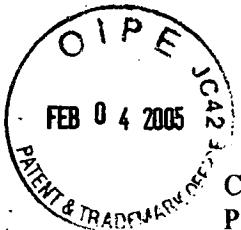
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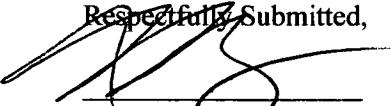
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Inventor: Santiago Acosta  
Group Art Unit: 3712  
Examiner: Vishu K. Mendiratta  
Filing Date: 10/20/2003  
Office Action Date: 09/03/2004

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated 09/03/2004 enclosed are the following:

- 1) Amendment,
- 2) New Claims 1-8,
- 5) Petition for Extension of Time, and
- 6) Fee of \$225.00 for Extension of time within the second month.

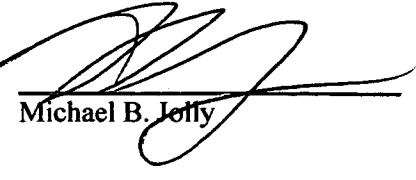
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